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2127

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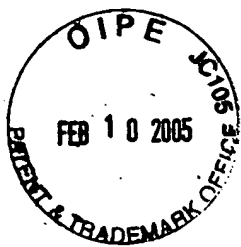
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/802,958  
Applicant : Karl Pfleger, *et al.*  
Filed : March 17, 2004  
Title : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ADJUSTING A SCORING  
MEASURE BASED ON QUERY BREADTH  
Art Unit : 2127  
Examiner : Unassigned  
Attorney Docket No. : 53051/292318

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

This Response is filed in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on August 10, 2004.  
Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application are the following documents:

- 1) Express Mail Certificate (EV 463 355 037 US);
- 2) Transmittal Form;
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Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: February 10, 2005

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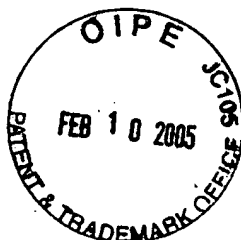


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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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